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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTATE

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995

Application Number		10/727,493
Confirmation Number		7236
Filing Date		December 5, 2003
First Named Inventor		Jun WATANABE
Group Art Unit		3762
Examiner Name		Nicole R. Kramer
Matter Number		Q78867
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| Title | DEFIBRILLATOR This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. 1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 a. Previously submitted Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on January 13, 2006 Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on ii. 🗆 iii. 🗆 Other b. \(\overline{\Omega} \) Enclosed i. ✓ Amendment/Reply ii. □ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (IDS) iv. Petition for Extension of Time v. 🗆 Other 2. MISCELLANEOUS a.

Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months b.

Other 3. FEES A check for the RCE statutory fee of \$790.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached. **CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS** Direct all correspondence to the address for SUGHRUE MION, PLLC filed under the Customer Number listed below: WASHINGTON OFFICE 02/15/2006 JADDO1 00000018 10727493 23373 01 FC:1801 790.68 OP CUSTOMER NUMBER SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY John F. Rabena Registration No. 38,584 Name

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